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Susan,

Below is a brief update on Holcim's activities on the revision to its LMO.

We continue to have activities with regards to obtaining and compiling data and maps and associated exhibits for the LMO document. We have also remain in contact with different experts in the field of engineering, survey, and other technical studies for their input on this project.

Project Coordination

The team continues to remain the same.

Copies of any correspondence will go to Keith Krugh, Devil's Slide Plant Manager and Christian Meyer, Raw Materials Optimization Manager. Brian Ward will continue as our technical consultant for mapping, etc.

Demolition / Reclamation Cost Analysis

We have received a draft report regarding the Demolition from Grant Mackay and are currently reviewing it. We will share this information after our review.

Phase I Geo-Technical Study

As we stated previously, we have retained the services of Dr. Ben Seegmiller for the Geo-Technical study of our highwalls. Currently we have completed Phase I of the Geo-Technical study and have scheduled Phase II early in 2009. Phase I included the preliminary assessment and proposal for core drilling. Phase II will include the drilling and will complete the Geo-Technical assessment. (If you or your staff would like to attend the drilling, please let us know).

We have completed as much of the LMO as possible due to the budgeting constraints which we discussed. The remainder of the work to complete the LMO has been budgeted for 2009 and will continue shortly after the first of the year. I will continue to update you as we reach certain milestones. Please do not hesitate to contact me should there be any concerns or if there is anything else we need to do as we progress towards finalizing the LMO document.

Regards,

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